

JACK DOYLE MONROE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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DOYLE APPLAUDS NEW SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM IN WEBSTER PARK

Monroe County Executive Jack Doyle today officially announced the completion of the new sanitary sewer system that brings a large number of Webster Park's restrooms and lodge facilities into the 21st century.

"Flush toilets and indoor plumbing have come to Webster Park at last," said Doyle. "The new system will protect the health and safety of all who enjoy the many amenities offered at the park and eliminates any unpleasantness of the previous sanitary facilities," said Doyle.

Today's announcement was the product of an inter-municipal agreement with the Town of Webster to construct and maintain a sanitary sewer to service eleven Lake Road residents and Webster Park. Construction began last summer and has just been completed.

The new system cost \$350,000 and was constructed in two phases. Phase I involved the construction of a sanitary sewer, running contiguous to Lake Road through 1,500 feet of the park. The inter-municipal agreement grants a permanent easement to the Town for sewer construction, maintenance, and repairs. Monroe County, the Town of Webster and the Lake Road residents shared in the costs of Phase I.

In Phase II, Monroe County installed lateral lines from park facilities to the new sewer line along Lake Road. Park facilities that were connected included the White House Lodge, the Park View Lodge restroom, the Lake View Lodge restroom, and the maintenance building. Additionally, a sanitary sewer system was installed at the tennis courts and labor center, and new showers were connected at the campground. A New York State Grant from the Clean Water Clean Air Bond Act contributed \$216,750 and helped subsidize the County's share of Phase II improvements to Webster Park.

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"This sewer project is an excellent cooperative effort between the Town and County," said Webster Town Supervisor Cathryn Thomas. "Our Lake Road residents benefit from the County sharing costs for the sewers and the sewer improvements benefit everyone who uses the park. By working together, everyone comes out a winner."

Monroe County Legislator Sean Hanna (R-Webster) has long sought these improvements to the park.

"I've been meeting with County Executive Doyle on this project for several years. It has been a top priority of mine, and I'm delighted to see it come together," Hanna said.

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